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NOTES IN SEASON.

D. APPLETON & Co. have just published the third and concluding part of "The Greville Memoirs," which has recently appeared in London. This part consists of one volume only, and covers the reign of Queen Victoria from 1852 to 1860. They also have just ready a work by General C. C. Andrews, formerly Consul-General to Brazil, entitled "Brazil: its condition and prospects," which affords an exhaustive picture of that country, and can scarcely fail to prove both instructive and entertaining to general readers; also a new novel by Christian Reid, entitled "Miss Churchill: a study."

FORDS, HOWARD & HULBERT will shortly issue "Principles of Art," by J. C. Van Dyke, at one time editor of *The Studio*. The work is divided into two parts; the first treating of "Art in History," its causes, nature, development, and different stages of progression; the second treating of (modern) "Art in Theory," its aims, motives, and manner of expression. The book may be described as a philosophy of art, but the treatment is popular in nature, and avoids scientific terminology. It will interest artists by its peculiar views, and the intelligent general reader by its condensed history, apt ideas of art, and graphic style.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS will publish at once Mr. John T. Wheelwright's novel, "A Child of the Century," which is described as a typical story of American political and social life, the scene of which is laid principally in Washington; a translation of Kuno Fischer's "History of Modern Philosophy," by a pupil of Prof. Fischer—Prof. J. P. Gordy; and "The Jesuit's Ring," by A. A. Hayes, the story of which turns upon a precious legendary ring which connects the prologue of the romance with the story proper, the latter being concerned with society and love-making at contemporary Bar Harbor. They have also nearly ready the third volume of their "Cyclopædia of Painters and Painting," leaving only one volume more to come. Five hundred copies only of the edition are printed. All but fifty copies of the first volumes have been disposed of already, and the price has been advanced from $100 to $150 a set.

CASSELL & Co. have just ready "a thoroughly good, grammatically graduated French reader," from the pen of Prof. Guillaume S. Conrad, who has for several years been collecting pieces from standard authors, ancient and modern—especially adapted to the different parts of grammar. They have also just ready the "Life and Works of the late Earl of Shaftesbury," who was unquestionably one of the most remarkable men of his time. Mr. Edwin Hodder, to whom Lord Shaftesbury delegated the delicate task of writing his life, contributes a preface in which he tells of the circumstances under which the book was written. "If the story, such as it is, must be told," said his lordship, toward the close of his life, to Mr. Hodder, "I should like it to be told accurately. That cannot be done unless I furnish the means." So he gave all his diaries, private and public correspondence, and every scrap of writing he possessed over to Mr. Hodder, who has used his wealth of material with great cleverness and discretion.

ROBERTS BROS. make the following announcements of books in preparation: "Some Chinese Ghosts," by Lafcadio Hearn; "Cathedral Days," "A Tour through Southern England," by Anna Bowman Dodd, illustrated by E. Eldon Deane; "The Bachelor's Home," by Honoré de Balzac; "The Alkahest," also by the same author; "Between Whiles," by Helen Jackson (H. H.) a volume of short stories; "The Kernal and the Husk," Letters of Spiritual Christianity, by the author of "Philochristus," "A Short History of Philadelphia," by Susan Coolidge; "Beauchamp's Career," "The Egoist" and "The Shaving of a Shagpat," all by George Meredith, bound in uniform style; "Sonnets in Shadow," by Arlo Bates, author of "Berries of the Brier;" "Dante," a Sketch of his Life and Works, by May Alden Ward, a delighful study of the poet's life and works; "A Week Away From Time," a volume of stories by a number of Bostonians, who passed the delightful "week away from time," at "Fair Harbor," a singularly pretty and attractive bit of the very tip end of the heel of Cape Cod.

WEEKLY RECORD OF NEW PUBLICATIONS.*

The abbreviations are usually self-explanatory. c. after the date indicates that the book is copyrighted; if the copyright date differs from the imprint date, the year of copyright is added. Books of foreign origin of which the edition (annotated, illustrated, etc.) is entered as copyright, are marked c. ed.; translations, c. tr.

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Sizes are designated as follows: F. (folio: over 30 centimeters high); (Q. 4to: under 30 cm.); O. (8vo: 25 cm.); D. (12mo: 20 cm.); S. (16mo: 17½ cm.); T. (24mo: 15 cm.); Tt. (32mo: 12½ cm.); Fe. (48mo: 10 cm.). Sq., obl., nar., designate square, oblong, narrow books of these heights.

Adam, G. Mercer, *and* Wetherald, A. Ethelwyn. An Algonquin maiden. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 5–240 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 846.) pap., 20 c.

Agatha and the shadow: a novel. Bost., Roberts Bros., 1887. c. '86. 3–321 p. D. cl., $1.50.

A story of the Puritans and the old colony days. The hero is Bernard Anselm, son of the great India merchant of Amsterdam. He comes to America, and marries Agatha, the Puritan daughter of Elder Brewster. An innocent entanglement in his early days with a Jewish maiden Rachel, is the shadow which darkens the lives of both Agatha and her husband. In a spirit of revenge Rachel follows Anselm to the colonies, and leaves no method untried to destroy him. The background to the story of early New England history and descriptions of noted places, is one of its chief charms.

Alexander, E. Porter. Railway practice; its principles and suggested reforms reviewed. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1887. c. 60 p. D. (Questions of the day, no. 36.) cl., 75 c.

A criticism of several proposed solutions of the railroad problems, the one being offered by Mr. J. F. Hudson in his volume called "The Railways and the Republic," the other by Prof. R. T. Ely in *Harper's Magazine* for July, August, and September. A third has long been before the public in the Reagan bill, which twice passed the House, has failed in the Senate. The author's method consists in sifting from the fifty years of experiment and railway transportation certain principles, settled by actual test, and put beyond question or dispute, making what may be called the science of railway management. These axioms he applies to the reforms under review.

All in the wild March morning. Chic., The Illustrated Pub. Co., [1887.] 3–224 p. D. (Popular ser., no. 10.) pap., 25 c.

The heroine is a meek little girl, the salaried reader of Madame Vivian, until that lady finds that her companion is dangerously attractive to her nephew Stephen Tredennick, then Madame commences a course of unjust treatment, and other complications ensue, which cause Winnifred Caerlyon to go to America; after a lapse of years she returns to England, meets her old lover under peculiar circumstances, and rescues him from a very perilous position, "All in the wild March morning."

Allen, Grant. Common sense science. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1887.] c. '86. 2–318 p. D. cl., $1.50.

Grant Allen is one of the brightest and most interesting of writers on natural history topics, and also upon what may be called everyday science. In this volume there are twenty-eight chapters upon as many different subjects, none of them exhaustively treated it is true, but all of them suggestive, and calculated to arrest attention, and induce further investigation. Among the most notable papers are: The balance of nature; Instinct and reasoning: The origin of bowing; The earth's interior; Knowledge and opinion; Second nature; Self-consciousness; Sleep, etc.

Allen, Grant. For Maimie's sake: a tale of love and dynamite. N. Y., Norman L. Munro, [1887.] 2+256 p. S. (Munro's lib., no. 688.) pap., 20 c.

***Barrett,** Jonathan. How he lost her: a story. N. Y., G. W. Dillingham, 1887. D. cl., $1.50.

***Beale,** Lionel S. Our morality and the moral question, chiefly from the medical side. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1887. 191 p. D. cl., $1.

Beaumont, *Mrs.* B. Twelve years of my life: an autobiography. Phil., T. B. Peterson & Bros., [1887.] 17–366 p. D. cl., $1.50.

This is a true story of twelve years passed by a Northern woman in Woodville, Miss. The lady writes in a pleasant, chatty style, and with an evident frankness that carries conviction. She went South in 1854 with her husband a machinist and her children, and had from the beginning to battle with the Southern prejudice against "Yankees." Her narrative is very graphic in its varied experience of keeping store, raising fruits and vegetables, and being suspected of being an Abolitionist. Yellow fever, too, was a familiar visitor, its terrors being well described.

Bentley, Rob. Physiological botany: an abridgment of the "Student's guide to structural, morphological, and physiological botany;" prepared as a sequel to "Descriptive botany," by Eliza A. Youmans. N. Y., Appleton, 1886. c. 13+292 p. D. (Appleton's science textbooks.) cl., $1.40.

Designed to give such an elementary account of structural and physiological botany, or of the inner and minute mechanism and activities of plants as is now recognized to be needful in general education. The author, Dr. Robert Bentley, is an eminent English botanist, who has had more than thirty years experience as a teacher and a writer of text-books. These works are mostly devoted to medical botany, but the present is a general treatise prepared for a less advanced class of students. In abridging it Miss Youmans has made very little change in the author's text, which is a model of clear, concise, and accurate statement. The alterations have consisted in omissions of certain parts, which are already given in full in the "Descriptive botany," where they properly belong in the present course of botanical study.

Bernard, J: Retrospections of America, 1797–1811; ed. from the MS. by Mrs. Bayle Bernard; with an introduction, notes, and index by Laurence Hutton and Brander Matthews. N. Y., Harper, 1887. c. '86. 13+380 p. il. D. cl., $1.75.

As one of the brightest of English comedians, and one of the earliest of American managers, and a most important figure on the stage of the United States in the beginning of the century, John Bernard is best remembered. He figured also as an author, his "Retrospections of the Stage," being among the most interesting of the literature of the mimic art. The present volume written from his MS. shows he was as shrewd a social observer as a brilliant comedian. He came to this country in 1797, well equipped in every way to benefit by what he saw. He had been the intimate, in England, of Fox and Sheridan and other Whigs of the Beefsteak Club—his naturally keen mind expanding under this exceptional association. In this country he met Washington, Jefferson, Charles Carroll, John Adams, and other distinguished men on terms of friendship. His impressions of individual and of social observance he jotted down freely and impartially. In their present form, with the editor's notes on early American actors and actresses, they make a delightful book. Illustrated with portraits of old stage favorites.

Besant, Walter. Dorothy Forster. N. Y., Norman L. Munro, [1887.] 3–351 p. S. (Munro's lib., no. 696.) pap., 20 c.

Besant, Walter. The holy rose. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 2+109 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 847.) pap., 10 c.

Besant, Walter. The world went very well then. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 2+350 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 842.) pap., 20 c.

Bishop, Putnam P. American patriotism: an

In this list, the titles generally are verbatim transcriptions (according to the rule of the American Library Association) from books received.* ***Books not received* *are indicated by a prefixed asterisk, and this office cannot be held responsible for the correctness of their record.*

essay. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1887. c. 3+144 p. D. cl., 75 c.

By the anthor of the unconventional novel "The Psychologist." A thoughtful and suggestive essay in which the author aims to raise popular opinion higher than the level of the mere politician. The just administration of government, the civil-service system, the labor troubles, and other questions of public interest are touched upon, and reforms suggested.

Blackmore, R. D. Lorna Doone. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 2 pts., 234 ; 1+235-479 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 851.) pap., *ea.* 20 c.

***Bliss,** Philemon. A treatise upon the law of pleading under the codes of civil procedure. *2d ed.* St. Louis, The F: H. Thomas Law Bk. Co., 1887. c. 69+731 p. O. shp., $6.

***Book** (A) of the Tile Club. *Edition de luxe.* Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. Il., Q. vellum, *net,* $50. [Edition limited to 100 copies.]

***Boscobel:** a story of a winter in Florida. N. Y., G. W. Dillingham, 1887. D. cl., $1.25.

Bowen, J: Eliot. The conflict of east and west in Egypt. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1887. c. 4+204 p. D. cl., $1.25.

A brief résumé of the Eastern question, going back to the 18th century, when England had already marked out for herself a passage through Egypt to the far away Indian Empire; concluding with an account of "Chinese" Gordon's work in the Soudan and the relief expedition sent out to him under Woolseley. Gives a list of books and periodicals consulted.

Bowne, Borden P. Introduction to psychological theory. N. Y., Harper, 1887. c. '86. 11+329 p. O. cl., $1.75.

"The aim of this work is given in its title. First, it is an 'introduction' only, and does not go into the details or the literature of the subject. The aim is to point out the highways of psychology rather than its myriad byways. Secondly, it is an 'introduction to psychological theory,' and aims less at a knowledge of facts than at an understanding of principles."—*Introduction.* It describes and classifies mental process, traces their origin and cause, studies these laws as shown in general, and formulates a theory evolved from this description. The style is singularly lucid and fair, strictly adhering to facts. Mr. Bowne is Professor of Philosophy in Boston University, and author of "Metaphysics."

***Broadus,** J: A., *D.D.* Commentary on the Gospel by Matthew. Phil., American Baptist Pub. Soc., 1887. 664 p. O. cl., $2.25.

***Browning,** Rob. Parleyings with certain people of importance in their day, to wit : Bernard de Mandeville, Daniel Bartoli, Christopher Smart, George Bubb Dodington, Francis Furini, Gerard de Lairesse, and Charles Avison ; introduced by a dialogue between Apollo and the fates ; concluded by another between John Fust and his friends. [Poems.] Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. S. cl., $1.25.

Browning, Rob. Christmas-eve and Easter-day, and other poems ; with an introductory essay on Browning's theory concerning personal immortality ; notes by Heloise E. Hersey ; preface by W: J. Rolfe. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co. [1887.] c. '86. 2-175 p. S. cl., 75 c.

Mr. Rolfe, in his preface, commends the volume "to all 'Christian folk' as good reading for Christmas Eve or Easter Day, or any other time in the year." The poems are printed from the most recent text, and each has a brief introduction and explanatory notes. These are in the most direct and simple style. They aim only to explain difficult allusions and constructions. Miss Hersey has recently assisted Mr. W. J. Rolfe in editing a volume of selections from Browning for his "English classics." The notes are in the general well-known style of the notes in that series. They are, however, somewhat less full, as this book is not especially designed for school use.

Burton, J: Bloundelle. The silent shore : a romance. N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] 3-158 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.,* no. 913.) pap., 20 c.

***Busk,** *Miss* R. H. The folk songs of Italy : specimens, with translations and notes. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 290 p. S. parchment, $2.40.

***Campbell,** *Mrs.* G. C. Home for the holidays. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 210 p. il. S. cl., 80 c.

Carey, Rosa Nouchette. Uncle Max. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1887. 4-381 p. S. hf. cl., 50 c. ; pap., 25 c.

Uncle Max, who is a young clergyman in an English country parish, encourages his niece to move near him, and spend her time in nursing the poor in their homes. The doctor, under whose direction Ursula works, is a fine character. Uncle Max's love story is prettily told, and after some misunderstandings the various couples are satisfactorily mated. Ursula's great talent for singing plays an important part in her work among the sick.

***Carson,** Harriet. Straight paths and the three T's. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 144 p. S. cl., 60 c.

***Challis,** H: W: The law of real property : chiefly in relation to conveyance. Phil., The Blackstone Pub. Co., 1887. Am. ed. c. (Text book series, v. 1, no. 2, January 1, 1887.) 22+382 p. O. pap., $3.

Coleridge, Christabel R. A near relation : a novel. N. Y., Harper, 1887. 62 p. Q. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., no. 563.) pap., 20 c.

The question of identity, which at the moment is the epidemic among novel-writers, has been skillfully handled in this story. Two cousins are born on the same day. One mother dies, the other is so ill for a long time that both babies are taken care of together, and the nurse, excited over the family troubles, forgets which is which. The surviving mother brings them up together, and loves them equally. The plot and denouement are exciting. The character of the mother and her influence upon the opposite characters of the boys show some fine work.

Collar, W. C., *and* Daniell, M. Grant. Latine reddenda : exercises from the beginner's Latin book. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1886. c. 2+37+3 p. D. pap., 22 c.

Exercises for turning English into Latin; with an English-Latin vocabulary.

***Collie,** Alex., *M.D.* On fevers ; their history, etiology, diagnosis, prognosis, and treatment. Phil., P. Blakiston, Son & Co., 1887. 288 p. col. pl. D. cl., $2.50.

Cooke, Rose Terry. Happy Dodd ; or, she hath done what she could. Bost., Ticknor & Co., 1887. c. '78. 430 p. D. cl., $1.50.

Happy Dodd was a young girl physically deformed, but endowed with a singularly beautiful character and a desire to help her fellow-men. Her self-imposed work led her in strange places, to perform disagreeable duties, and to a final and great sacrifice.

Could aught atone? by the author of "Magdalen's legacy." Chic., The Illustrated Pub. Co., [1887.] 3-278 p. D. (Popular ser., no. 11.) pap., 25 c.

Matrimonial difficulties estrange Wynne and Phillip Rainsforth, and tempt Wynne to an act which an intervention of fate saves her from committing. Her life from thenceforth becomes one of self-renunciation and effort to atone for an uncommitted deed.

***Cousin** Kate, (*pseud.*) The children's mirror : a treasury of stories. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 348 p. D. cl., $1.

***Crew,** B: J. A practical treatise on petroleum ; comprising its origin, geology, geographical distribution, history, chemistry, mining, technology, uses, and transportation ; with a description of gas wells, the application of gas as fuel, etc. ; with an appendix on the product and exhaustion of the oil regions, and the geology of natural gas in Penn. and N. Y., by C: A. Ashburner. Phil., H: Carey Baird & Co., 1887. 508 p. il. and pl. O. cl., $4.50.

Dale, Allen. Ned Bachman, the New Orleans detective. N. Y., J: S. Ogilvie & Co., [1887.] 2-159 p. D. (The champion detective ser., no. 10,) pap., 25 c.

The story is made up of a network of crimes committed in New Orleans by a gang of ruffians who called themselves the black band. Ned Bachman proves that he can outwit them when he rescues Hero Dalton in several perilous positions. In addition to this detective story the book contains a quaint little romance with the *apropos* title "Old memories."

Douglas, Amanda M. Foes of her household. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1887. c. '86. 391 p. D. cl., $1.50.

Doris Hawthorne and Lloyd Wentworth meet abroad under rather peculiar circumstances, which terminate in a hasty marriage. After a short period of unalloyed happiness, events shape themselves so that Doris is forced to go among her husband's people, who seem determinedly set against her. From this time forth the interest centres in Doris Wentworth's mode of combating the "Foes of her household."

Du Boisgobey, F. The red band: the adventures of a young girl during the siege of Paris. N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] c. tr. '86. 2 pts. 4-258: 2+259-538 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 918.) pap., *ea.*, 20 c.

Edwards, H. Sutherland. The case of Reuben Malachi. N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] 110 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 917.) pap., 10 c.

***Edwards,** H. Sutherland. Famous first representations. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 253 p. D. cl., $2.40.

***Edwards,** W. H. Butterflies of North America. V. 3, pt. 1. Colias Euridice, form Amorphæ, var. Bernardino; Argynnis Nitocris; Argynnis Lais. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. 3 col. pl. Q. pap., *net*, $2.25.

Ellis, Sumner, *D.D.* Faith and righteousness: a memorial of Sumner Ellis, D.D.; with an outline of his life and ministry by Rev. C. R. Moor. Bost., Universalist Pub. House, 1887. c. 3-325 p. por. D. cl., $1.00.

Rev. Sumner Ellis was born in North Orange, Mass., 1828; he died in Janury of 1886. He was for many years pastor of Universalist churches in New England, at Newark and Chicago. Rev. C. R. Moor's sketch of his life is full of interest. The sermons of which the larger part of this volume is made up are selected from those written by Dr. Ellis in the more recent years of his ministry. It is believed they represent his best thought, and are good examples of his fine literary expression.

Fearing, Lillien Blanche. The sleeping world, and other poems. Chic., A. C. McClurg & Co., 1887. c. '86. 3-116 p. D. cl., $1.

Graceful poems on "Human love's weakness," "The heart knoweth its own bitterness," "To a star," "Claude and Eloise," "A vision of love," "The dead hero," "The legend of Lake Minnewaukon," etc.

Fenn, G: Manville. Devon boys: a tale of the North shore. N. Y., Harper, [1887.] 66 p. Q. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., no. 562.) pap., 25 c.

The scene is laid on the North shore of the Devon coast; the exploits of a trio of schoolboys are told by one of their number, Sep Duncan, who lionizes Bigley Uggleston in his history of perilous adventure, enlarges upon Bob Chowne and his peculiarities which add much to the story, and gives himself a modest position, though he is unmistakably the hero.

Feuillet, Octave. The romance of a poor young man; from the French by J. H: Hager. N. Y., W: S. Gottsberger, 1887. c. ed. 2+319 p. S. cl., 90 c.; pap., 50 c.

A new translation of a story that has obtained a great popularity both in French and English.

Fiske, *Rev.* D. T., *D.D.* The creed of Andover Theological Seminary. [*New ed.*] Bost., Cupples, Upham & Co., 1887. 3+36 p. D. pap., 20 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. Diana Carew. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 269 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 861.) pap., 20 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. Dolores. N.Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 2+265 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 844.) pap., 20 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. From Olympus to Hades. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 286 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 862.) pap., 20 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. My hero. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 180 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 850.) pap., 20 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. Omnia vanitas: a tale of society. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 94 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 860.) pap., 10 c.

Forrester, *Mrs.* —. Viva. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 262 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 859.) pap., 20 c.

Frémont, *Mrs.* Jessie Benton. Souvenirs of my time. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1887.] c. 393 p. il. D. cl., $1.50.

Jessie Benton Frémont, as well as her husband, General Frémont, and her father, Senator Benton, are historical figures. From her childhood Jessie Benton was thrown among famous people, and continued to live among them and to witness some of the most noted events of history and of society, here and abroad, that have occurred during the past fifty years. These valuable reminiscences she has put together in charming style for the benefit of young and old. At fourteen she was bridesmaid to the youthful bride of Mr. Bodisco, the then Russian minister at Washington. The account is a genuine bit of history. It is followed by chapters on "Washington in past days," "Family life at the White House," dealing especially with the days of Van Buren and Jackson; "Mrs. Madison and Mrs. Hamilton;" life at St. Louis, New Orleans, and in California, in her youthful days; and her journeys and experiences abroad, where she was received at the courts of several countries.

Fresh bait for fishers of men; by Revs. F. Barrows Makepeace, W. L. Gage, D.D., Smith Baker, Reneu Thomas, and C. E. Bolton. Bost., Congregational S. S. and Pub. House, [1887.] c. '86. 87 p. D. cl., 75 c.

Papers suggesting a new and more hopeful line of church work for the working classes and the poor. Methods are also described, and successes related, that have been reached by those engaged in the work. The first and the last two chapters contain portions of an essay read before the Congregational Ministers' meeting of Boston, March 22, 1886, upon the topic, "The responsibility of the Church for the entertainment of the people." They are by Rev. F. Barrows Makepeace. The other chapters by successful workers are "Hints from Germany," by Rev. W. L. Gage; "Working people and city life," by Rev. Smith Baker; "An experience with outsiders," by Rev. Reneu Thomas; "Practical education and entertainment for the people," by C. E. Bolton.

***G.,** F. E. The darling of an empire: a novel. N. Y., G. W. Dillingham, 1887. D. cl., $1.50.

***Goethe's** letters to Zelter, with extracts from those of Zelter to Goethe; selected by A. D. Coleridge. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 504 p. (Bohn's standard lib.) D. cl., $1.40.

***Greene,** *Hon. Mrs.* The phantom picture: a tale. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 185 p. D. cl., 80 c.

***Gréville,** C: C. F. The Gréville memoirs (third part): a journal of the reign of Queen Victoria, from 1852 to 1860, by the late C: C. F. Gréville, clerk to the council. N. Y., Worthington Co., 1887. 2 v. O. cl., $9.50.

***Hallowell,** R. P. The pioneer Quakers. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. S. cl., $1.

***Hallowell,** R. P. The Quaker invasion of Massachusetts. *New ed., rev.* Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. S. cl., $1.25.

Hammond, W: A. On the Susquehanna: a novel. N. Y., Appleton, 1887. c. 412 p. D. cl., $1.50.

The story takes place in Pennsylvania, on the banks of the Susquehanna. On his deathbed, which is described in

the first chapter, Mr. Honeywood reveals to his daughter a painful secret of her mother and his past life. At his death Alana finds that by his will she is the owner of the "Susquehanna Iron Works," although her father's confidence has led her to believe herself an illegitimate child, sprung from a mother who has been often imprisoned for robbery and other crimes. A strong power throughout the story is John Benham, the superintendent of the works. He loves Alana, and it is through his efforts that a vile plot against her good name and wealth is exposed.

***Hare,** J. I. Clark. The law of contracts. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1887. c. 35+679 p. O. shp., *net*, $5.

***Harrington,** Florence. Georgie Merton; or, only a girl. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 173 p. D. cl., 80 c.

Harte, Bret. A millionaire of Rough-and-Ready; [*also*,] Devil's Ford. Bost., Houghton. Mifflin & Co., 1887. c. 2-299 p. T. cl., $1.

Two stories of the early days of California in Bret Harte's familiar vein. The old characters of the rough and ignorant miners who strike gold, their beautiful daughters and wives who at once adapt themselves to the situation, their suitors and friends, with the perplexing element of "the other claimant," are all here. The stories are spirited and well told, and rich in description as well as incidents.

Henderson, P: Gardening for profit; a guide to the successful cultivation of the market and family garden. *New enl. ed.* N. Y., O. Judd Co., 1887. c. '86. 376 p. il. D. cl., $2.

It is twenty years since "Gardening for profit" was first written, and twelve since the second edition was issued. In a lapse of a dozen years, the new methods of culture, and new and improved varieties of vegetables and fruits, which are constantly coming into use, make a new edition requisite. The present edition has a wider scope than either of the former, embracing not only the forcing under glass of some important fruits and vegetables not before touched upon, but also detailing the methods of culture of the leading small fruits, which properly come under the head of "Gardening for profit."

Herbert, E: (*Lord.*) The life of Lord Herbert of Cherbury: written by himself, and continued to his death. N. Y., Cassell & Co., [1887.] 3-192 p. T. (Cassell's national lib., no. 54.) pap., 10 c.

***Hidden** path (The). N. Y., G. W. Dillingham, 1887. D. (Madison sq. ser.) pap., 25 c.

Higgins, C: Home rule; or, the Irish land question: facts and arguments. Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., [1887.] c. '86. 32+9-172 p. D. cl., $1.

The fact that this work was written by an Englishman, whose arguments are all in favor of the Irishman, lends it a special interest It has met with so great a success in Great Britain that the author has been induced to give it to American readers. There is an opening essay on "Home Rule." The subjects of the eleven chapters which follow, given with many facts and arguments, are: Absenteeism (its effects and remedies); Attitude of the press (its influences for good and evil); Eviction (its horrors and tendencies); Peasant proprietary (its beneficial results); Peasant proprietary (its necessity for Ireland); The clergy (views on the land question); Land League (facts and arguments thereon); Coercion and the unwritten law; Obstruction and restriction; Outrages (graphic description of); Appeal to the English people.

Higginson, T: Wentworth. The monarch of dreams. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1887. c. '86. 3-52 p. T. cl., 50 c.

"A brief, highly-finished little tale, written and conceived in Thomas Wentworth Higginson's best style. Its hero, lost in dreams, lets stirring life pass by him, only waking when it is too late for him to act. The story rouses in the mind the fading echoes of the departing footsteps of lost opportunities."—*Chicago Tribune.*

***Hope,** *Lady*. Changed scenes; or, the castle and the cottage. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 256 p. D. cl., $1.

Hopkins, *Mrs.* Louisa P. How shall my child be taught; practical pedagogy; or, the science of teaching illustrated. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1887. c. '86. 11+276 p. D. cl., $1.50.

These papers were published during eight years in the *Primary Teacher*. They have the virtue of being immediate reports of actual work with a class of children "whose growth," says Mrs. Hopkins, "from childhood to later youth has justified the methods of that early education." A protest against the amount of work claimed for one year called out the appreciative explanation of Col. T. Wentworth Higginson, which is appended to the fifteen papers which make up the volume.

Jewett, Sarah Orne. The story of the Normans, told chiefly in relation to their conquest of England. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1887. c. '86. 10+373 p. il. D. (Story of the nations ser.) cl., $1.50.

The "Story of the Normans" is traced by Miss Jewett from the first records of the race to the culmination of their glory in the conquest of England. William the Conqueror and his wife occupy the foreground. There is a good description of the Bayeux tapestry, which will be of special interest just now, while the clever imitation is exhibiting in this country. There are thirty-five illustrations and a genealogical table of Norman rulers.

Keble, *Rev.* J: The Christian year. N. Y. Cassell, [1887.] 3-192 p. S. (Cassell's national lib., no. 52.) pap., 10 c.

Kingsley, C: Yeast: a problem. N. Y., Harper, 1887. 3-292 p. S. (Harper's handy ser., no. 115.) pap., 25 c.

***L.,** H. L., *ed.* For eventide; with text and hymns for eight weeks. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 78 p. il. obl. T., ribbon-tied; pap., 35 c.

Lincoln, *Mrs.* D. A. Carving and serving. Bost. Roberts Bros., 1887. c. '86. 3-52 p. S. bds., 60 c.

By the author of "The Boston cook-book." A little manual on carving and serving all kinds of meats, game, etc., which "is not offered as a guide for special occasions, company dinners, etc., nor for those whose experience renders it unnecessary, or whose means allow them to employ one skilled in the art. But it is earnestly hoped that the suggestions will aid those who desire, at their own table, in every-day home life, to acquire that ease and perfection of manner which, however suddenly it may be confronted with obstacles, will be equal to every occasion."

Linton, *Mrs.* E. Lynn. Ione Stewart: a novel. N. Y., Norman L. Munro, [1887.] 3-331 p. S. (Munro's lib., no. 695.) pap., 20 c.

Lover, S: Handy Andy. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 2+361 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 849.) pap., 20 c.

Macquoid, Katherine S. Joan Wentworth: a novel. N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] 3-223 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 914.) pap., 20 c.

***Massachusetts.** *Supreme judicial court*, reports. V. 142, Cases determined May-Oct., 1886. J: Lathrop, rep. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1887. c. '86. 15+674 p. O shp., *net*, $3.25.

Maurice, F: D. Faith and action; from the writings of F. D. Maurice; selected by M. G. D.; with a preface by Rev. Phillips Brooks, D.D. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1887.] c. ed. '86. 4+269 p. D. cl., $1.

Few English clergymen are better known in this country than Frederic D. Maurice, whose untimely death, some years ago, deprived not only England, but the Christian world, of one of its ablest religious teachers. He was bred a Unitarian, but subsequently became a member of the Church of England, and, in 1828, was ordained a clergyman. He devoted a great deal of his time to the social and religious needs of the common people. The present volume, made up of excerpts and extracts from his sermons, writings, and correspondence, has unusual and permanent value. It is a treasure-house not of jewels, but of things useful for every-day life; ideas which go straight home, and make the reader think. There is no useless display of rhetoric, or attempt at brilliancy, but it is the true, honest talk of a true, honest man, with a purpose in it.

***Martin,** *Lady*, [Helena Faucit.] On some of Shakespeare's female characters. *New ed.*

N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 354 p. O. cl., $3.60 (*corr. title*).

***Martin,** T. C. Franz Liszt. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 101 p. S. (St. Cecilia ser.) cl., 50 c.

***Marx,** Karl. Capital: a critical analysis of capitalist production; from the German by S. Moore and E: Aveling. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 2 v. O. cl., $12.

***Medico-Legal** Society of New York. Papers read before the society. 3d series. 1875 to 1878. *Rev. ed.* [N. Y.], Medico-Legal Soc, 1886. c. 4+550+19 p. 9 por. O. cl., $3.50.

Meriwether, Lee. A tramp trip: how to see Europe on fifty cents a day. N. Y., Harper, 1887. c. '86. 5-276 p. por. D. cl., $1.25.

Being desirous of seeing something of low life in Europe, Mr. Meriwether donned the blouse and hobnailed shoes of a workman, and spent a year in a tramp trip from Gibraltar to the Bosphorus. From the moment he embarks on the *Independente*, the Italian steamer for which he secured a steerage ticket, until his return to New York, the spirit of the narrative is sustained, each page bringing to the reader new incidents, amusing and valuable experiences, and droll descriptions of the people he met, who were as frequently from high life as low life. The writer lived entirely with the workingmen of the country he tramped through. His experience, consequently, is valuable from a political stand-point, as it embraces many facts regarding wages and living, which could only be obtained by personal observation. An appendix contains a comparative tariff table and a comparative wage table. Some hints to pedestrians complete the attractive volume.

Meyer, Lucy Rider [Lucy J. Rider]. Real fairy folks: explorations in the world of atoms. Bost., D. Lothrop & Co., [1887.] c. 7-389 p. il. D. cl., $1.50.

The author's aim has been to interest children in the science of chemistry. She claims to be true to fact and principle. The molecules found in various drugs are termed the real fairy folks; their presence in liquids and the changes they undergo when submitted to chemical experiment are demonstrated by Prof. James, while giving a series of lessons to his young niece and nephew.

***Minchin,** J. G. C. The growth of freedom in the Balkan Peninsula. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 415 p. map. O. cl., $4.20.

***Minnesota.** *Supreme Court*, reports. V. 34, Cases determined July, 1885-March, 1886. G: B. Young, rep. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1887. c. 20+594 p. O. shp., $3.

Mulholland, Rosa. The late Miss Hollingford. N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] 5-120 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 921.) pap., 10 c.

Published a good many years ago in the pages of *All the Year Round*. Has been translated into Italian and also into French under the title *Une Idée Fantasque*. Charles Dickens chose the English title for the book, being very much pleased with the story.

***Murfree,** W. L., *jr.* Digest of decisions of the supreme courts of Cal., Col., Kas., Oreg., Nev., Ariz., Ida., Mon., N. M., Wyo., Utah, and Wash., reported in the Pacific Reporter, v. 1-10, [Dec. 1883-June, 1886.] St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1886. 3+777 p. O. shp., $3.50.

***Morris,** H: Surgical diseases of the kidney. Phil., Lea Bros. & Co., 1886. 8+548 p. D. cl., $2.25.

***New Jersey** (The) law journal. Ed. by E: Q. Keasbey and G: M. Keasbey. V. 9, 1886. Somerville, Honeyman & Co., 1886. 13+384+140 p. O. pap., $3.

***New York** (The) weekly digest of cases in the N. Y. court of appeals, and general terms of the N. Y. supreme, common pleas, and superior courts. V. 23, [Feb. 6-July 9, 1886.] N. Y., The N. Y. Weekly Digest Co., 1886. c. 14+649 p. O. *subs.*, $5.

Oliphant, *Mrs.* Marg. O. W. John: a love story. N. Y., Norman L. Munro, [1887.] 3-256 p. S. (Munro's lib., no. 697.) pap. 20 c.

Oliver, Ja. E., Wait, Lucien A., *and* Jones, G: W. A treatise on algebra. Ithaca, N. Y., Dudley F. Finch, 1887. c. '82. 8+412 p. D. cl., $2.

It is not a mere text-book, but, so far as it extends, it is a complete treatise, and so of service as a reference book. It differs from the standard text-book in this: It goes to the very bottom, and states and proves every important principle with Euclidian vigor. In the language of the preface: "Many fundamental principles were found to be omitted by elementary writers because too difficult for a beginner, and by subsequent writers because already known." These breaks this book fills up, and gives a proof, logical and complete, of every general proposition. Along with this rigorous treatment are precise definitions, varied illustrations, direct and simple rules, copious examples.

O'Meara, Kathleen. Mabel Stanhope: a story. Bost., Roberts Bros., 1886. c. 2-363 p. S. cl., $1.25.

The story of an English girl, who is placed by her father in a fashionable boarding-school at Paris to finish her education. Her mother is an invalid, and Sir John Stanhope takes her, by the physician's advice, to Madeira. Mabel is thus left entirely to the influence of the school, which is presided over by a selfish, heartless Frenchwoman. The account of the school and the pupils and teachers is very realistic. Mabel falls under the influence of the Catholic Church, and becomes a Romanist. Being reunited with her parents, after two years, she confesses this fact to her father, and is cruelly turned out of doors. She again returns to Paris, seeking the protection of her former teacher only to he repulsed and shown the door. Her subsequent career, until finally forgiven by her father, is one of great poverty and temptation and other trials.

***Parry,** T. Gambeir. The ministry of fine art to the happiness of life: essays on various arts. N. Y., Scribner & Welford, 1887. 368 p. O. cl., $6.40.

***Pennsylvannia.** *Supreme Court.* State reports, v. 113, by Lemuel Amerman, St. rep. V. 3, Cont. cases argued at Jan. term, 1886. N. Y. and Alb., Banks & Bros., 1887. c. '87. 15-695 p. O. shp., $3.50.

Poore, B: Perley. Reminiscences of sixty years in the national metropolis. In 2 v. V. 2. Phil., Hubbard Bros., [1887.] c. '86. 543 p. il. O. cl., *subs.*, $3.; leath., $3.75.

As rich in gossip and anecdote as the first volume. Mr. Poore evidently knew every one in Washington, in his day, who was worth knowing, and he gives interesting details and entertaining stories of them all. The period covered is from the close of Buchanan's administration to the first year of Cleveland's term. The various inaugurations, balls, weddings, etc., of the capital, besides the assassination of Lincoln, the conspiracy trial, the impeachment of Johnson, Garfield's murder, and other historical events, are all described, with many fresh facts and in a most graphic manner.

***Potter,** Burton Willis. The road and the roadside. Bost., Little, Brown & Co., 1886. c. 14+104 p. D. cl., *net*, $1.

Preston, Harriet Waters. A year in Eden: a novel. Bost., Roberts Bros., 1887. c. '86. 3+420 p. D. cl., $1.50.

A painful story of an illicit love which has its "spring," "summer," "autumn," and dreary "winter." The heroine is a young New England girl, with an unknown Italian mother; her passionate, undisciplined nature leads her to cast off the sincere love of a young man, worthy and suitable in every way, and to accept that of Philip Winslow, a married man. Winslow is a man of wealth and position, married to a woman far his superior, mentally and morally. His wife's virtues become irksome to him, and she quickly discovers that she has not married him for love. They are mutually unhappy, and he seeking Monza Middleton, at last persuades her to go away with him to Italy. This is the central motive, but others cluster around it, and some good character sketches, especially of the twin-brothers Arthur and Stuart Bryce, are introduced. By the author of "Troubadours and trouvères," etc.

Price, A. A wilful young woman: a novel.

[*Anon.*] N. Y., J: W. Lovell & Co., [1887.] 1+272 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 857.) pap., 20 c.

Question (A) of identity : a novel. Bost., Roberts Bros., 1887. c. '86. 3-271 p. S. (No name [third] ser.) cl., $1.

Twin sisters, so much alike that John Beckley, the husband of one, is never quite sure whether it is Leah or Rachel he had married, are the heart of a singular mystery, which is left unsolved even at the close of the book. The scene is first laid in London; afterward it changes to a New England village, where the larger part of the story takes place. It is the ordinary one of love and marriage, the dark shadows being found in the tragical story of the twins, and in the unscrupulousness of a sanctimonious old deacon, who takes "liberties" with the bank account of a friend.

Rame, Louise de la. ["Ouida," *pseud.*] Friendship. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 862 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 852.) pap., 20 c.

Rame, Louise de la. ["Ouida," *pseud.*] In Maremma. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 352 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 853.) pap., 20 c.

Rame, Louise de la, ["Ouida," *pseud.*] Pascarel. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 334 p. S. (Lovell's lib. no. 855.) pap., 20 c.

Rame, Louise de la. ["Ouida," *pseud.*] Signa. N. Y., J: W. Lovell Co., [1887.] 371 p. S. (Lovell's lib., no. 854.) pap., 20 c.

Raymond, G: Lansing. Ballads of the revolution and other poems. N. Y., G: P. Putnam's Sons, 1887. c. '86. 2+194 p. S. cl., $1.25.

The subjects of the ballads are "Our first break with the British;" "The last cruise of the Gaspee;" "The Lebanon boys in Boston;" "The crown's fight against the town's right;" "The rally of the farmers;" "Ethan Allen;" and "How Barton took the General." There are also a few miscellaneous short poems, and a long dramatic poem "Haydn," founded on a fact in the celebrated composer's life, and suggested by a tale "A first love" in Elize Polko's "Musical sketches." By the author of "A life in song," and "Poetry as a representative art."

***Reaney,** *Mrs.* G. S. Not thrown away but given ; or, the story of Marion's hero. N. Y., T: Nelson & Sons, 1887. 218 p. D. cl., 80 c.

Reber, Franz von. History of mediæval art ; tr. by Jos. Thacher Clarke. N. Y., Harper, 1887. c. tr. '86. 31+743 p. il. O. cl., $5.

"It has been the great desire of the author to present a history of artistic evolution more logical and more consequential than those with which he was acquainted. He trusts the book will prove of interest to those readers whose desire it is to obtain a general view of the artistic development of the Middle Ages."—*Introduction.* The author is Director of the Bavarian Royal and State galleries of paintings, and professor in the University and Polytechnic of Munich. The translator is already known by the good work done on the author's "Ancient Art" published by the Harpers in 1882. The glossary of technical terms is intended to supplement the very full glossary given in that volume. Four hundred and twenty-two illustrations make clear the author's text, and add to the attractive appearance of the volume. The plates have been made in this country, and the edition to appear in England will be printed from these American plates.

Rees, J. Rogers. The diversions of a bookworm. N. Y., G: J. Coombes, 1887. 4-258 p. S. cl., $1.25.

Contains essays on "The bookworm's study," "Some other folks' studies," "An ideal study," "The companions of the bookworm: friends in the flesh," "Other companions of the bookworm, dreams and books," "The loved books of some other folks." By the author of "The pleasures of a book-worm."

Roberts, Marg. A child of the revolution : a novel. [*Anon.*] N. Y., G: Munro, [1887.] 3-212 p. S. (Seaside lib., *pocket ed.*, no. 920.) pap., 20 c.

Roosevelt, Theodore. Life of Thomas Hart Benton. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1887. c. '86. 5+372 p. D. (American statesmen ser.) cl., $1.25.

"In an opening chapter Mr. Roosevelt rapidly sketches he personal traits of the pioneers in the New West. This is a background for the study of the growth of Missouri, in which Mr. Benton played so important a part. Only one chapter is devoted to Benton's life before his entry into the Senate. The rest of the volume is a sketch of the great political movements in which the Senator from Missouri played an important part, from Monroe's second term to the election of Buchanan. Chief among them are the struggle with the Nullifiers, the war on the Bank, and the anti-slavery agitation. Mr. Roosevelt expresses great admiration for Benton's sturdiness, force, and honesty."—New York *Evening Post.*

***Schouler,** Jas. A treatise on the law of wills. Bost., C: C. Soule, 1887. c. '86. 55+689 p. O. shp., *net*, $5.50.

Scott, *Sir* Walter. The lay of the last minstrel ; ed. with notes by W: J. Rolfe. Bost., Ticknor & Co., 1887. c. ed. '86. 241 p. il. S. cl., 75 c.

Edited on the same plan as its predecessors, "The lady of the lake" and "Marmion;" and, as in those, the illustrations are from the publishers' holiday edition of the poem. The text has been carefully compared with that of the earliest editions. All of Scott's own notes are given in full.

Skene, F. M. F. A strange inheritance : a novel. N. Y., Harper, 1887. 322 p. S. (Harper's handy ser., no. 112.) pap., 25 c.

The hero, Hugh Malcolm, is introduced to the reader on board ship on his way back from Australia to Scotland, where his uncle has recently died. Hugh's uncle had been the "laird of Dunree," and naturally he expects to be his heir. He finds himself disinherited, however, all of Dunree being left to public charities, with the exception of a small tract of land in which his ancestors are buried—this forms his "strange inheritance." Hugh has to earn his living, and becomes the agent of Dunree, through the influence of one of his father's old friends. Living thus on the very spot, link after link in the chain of the thrilling story of the causes of his being disinherited comes into his hands. The tale is well told, and is full of surprises and exciting details. Twin-girls of great beauty are here the heroines of two episodes of love.

***Smith,** G: H. Elements of right and of the law ; [*also,*] a historical and critical essay upon the several theories of jurisprudence. *2d ed.* Chic., Callaghan & Co., 1887. c. 30+17-398 p. D. cl., $2.50.

Sons and daughters ; by the author of "The story of Margaret Kent." Bost., Ticknor & Co., 1887. 3-473 p. D. cl., $1.50.

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Prentiss, Elizabeth. Life and letters. *N. ed.* (Ja1) D. $1.50... *Randolph.*
Preston, Margaret J. Handful of monographs. (Ja15) D. $1... *Randolph.*
Prince, J: T. Courses and methods. (Ja22) D. 85c. *Ginn.*
Price, A. A wilful young woman. (Ja8) S. p. 20c. *N. L. Munro.*
Prostitution and its allied vices. Gerrish, F. H. p. 25c... *Soc. for Moral Education.*
Pure gold. Cameron, *Mrs.* H. L. 2 pts. p. *ea.* 20c. *Munro.*
Queen of the Pirate Isle. Harte, B. $1.50. *Houghton, M.*
Question of the hour. Parkhurst, C. H. po 15c. *Randolph.*
Rand, McNally & Co.'s indexed county township pocket map of Rhode Island. (Ja22) S. p. 25c... *Rand, McN.*
Rheumatism. Maglagan, T. J. *subs.* $1.25... *Wood.*
Richards, J. W. Aluminium. (Ja8) D. $2.50... *Baird.*
Roberts, Marg. Child of the Revolution. (Ja22) S. p. 25c... *Harper.*
Roche, J. J. Songs and satires. (Ja8) D. $1.. *Ticknor.*
Romantisme Français. Crane, T. F. $1.50.. *Putnam.*
Roosevelt, Blanche. Marked in haste. (Ja1) S. p. 20c. *Lovell.*
Ross, C. The silent workman. (Ja1) S. 75c.. *Putnam.*
Rousset, A. The forest waters the farm. (Ja1) D. 75c.; p. 50c... *Forest and Stream.*
Russell, W: C. Jack's courtship. (Ja1) S. p. 20c. *Lovell.*
— On the fo'k'sle head. (Ja1) S. p. 20c... *Lovell.*
— Sailor's sweetheart. (Ja1) S. p. 20c... *Lovell.*
Ryan, J. E. *See* Caswell, A. S.
Saltus, E. Anatomy of negation. (Ja22) D. $2. *Scribner & W.*
Sailor's sweetheart. Russell, W. C. p. 20c.. *Lovell.*
School-room exercises. Bainbridge, E. G. 75c. *Interstate Pub. Co.*
— trustees, Law manual for. Brownell, H. p. 50c. *Bardeen.*
Seaside lib. *See* Besant; Cameron; Farjeon; Francillon; Haggard; Hector; Lean; Oliphant.
Segur, *Comtesse de.* Malheurs de Sophie. (Ja22) D. $1; p. 60c... *Jenkins.*
Self-revelation of God. Harris, S. $3.50 ..*Scribner.*
Sexual nature, Knowledge concerning. Heitz, G. p. 25c ... *Soc. for Moral Education.*
Shakespeare, W: As you like it. (Ja8) T. p. 10c. *Cassell.*
Shakespeare's insomnia. Head, F. H. p. 75c. *Houghton, M.*
Shaw, G: B. Cashel Byron's profession. (Ja8) S. p. 25c... *Harper.*
She. Haggard, H. R. p. 25c... *Harper.*
— *Same.* p. 20c... *Munro.*
Shut in. Taylor, W. M. p. 50c... *Randolph.*
Silence of Dean Maitland. Grey, M. p. 50c. *Appleton.*
Silent workman. Ross C. 75c... *Putnam.*
Simmons, J. Digest of Wisconsin reports. (Ja8) O. shp. $10... *Gould*
Sinnett, A. P. Karma. *N. ed.* (Ja15) D. 75c.; p. 35c. *Rand, McN.*
Smith, C: M. Treatise on the law of master and servant. (Ja8) O. flex. cl. $3.75... *Blackstone Pub. Co.*
Smithsonian Institution. Report. (Ja8) Q. p. *Gov. Print. Off.*
Smyth. N. Old faiths in new light. *N. ed.* (Ja22) D. $1.50... *Scribner.*
Snider, D. J. Goethe's Faust. 2 v. (Ja8) D. $3.50. *Ticknor.*
Social solutions. *See* Howland.
— status of European and Amer. women. Martin, K. B. p. 25c... *Kerr.*
— studies. Newton, R. H. $1.60 ... *Putnam.*
Son of his father. Oliphant, *Mrs.* M. O. W. p. 20c. *Lovell.*
Songs and satires. Roche, J. J. $1... *Ticknor.*
— for young teetotalers. Penney, L. p. 15c. *Nat. Temp. Soc.*
Squire of Sandalside. Barr, A. E. $1... *Dodd, M.*
Star and a heart. Lean, *Mrs.* F. p. 10c... *Munro.*
Stone, W: L. Journal of Capt. Pausch during the Burgoyne campaign. (Ja1) O. $2.50... *Munsells.*
Story-book of Science. Farmer, L. H. $1.50. *Lothrop.*
Sunday law of Massachusetts. (Ja8) S. p. 15c. *Cupples, U.*
— school (The) as an institution. Taylor, G. L. 30c. *Ketcham.*
Surveyor's guide. Dorr, B. F. $2... *Van Nostrand.*
Taylor, G: L. What shall we do with the Sunday-school as an institution? (Ja8) T. 30c... *Ketcham.*
Taylor, W: M. Shut in. (Ja22) S. p. 50c... *Randolph.*
Temple, G: Britta. (Ja15) S. p. 25c... *Harper.*
Text-book ser. *See* Smith, C. M.
That other person. Hunt, *Mrs.* A. 75c... *Lippincott.*
Thieme-Preusser. Dictionary of the Eng. and Ger. languages. *N. ed.* (Ja15) O. hf. cl. $3... *Westermann.*
Tiedeman, C. G. Limitations of police power in the U. S. (Ja8) O. shp. *net,* $6... *Thomas Law Bk. Co.*

Time and tune ser. *See* Caswell.
Tinseau, L. *de*, Hélène. (Ja15) D. p. 35c.....*Warne.*
Towne, E: O. Aphorisms of the three threes. (Ja22) D. $1.....*Kerr.*
Traits and stories of Irish peasantry. *See* Carleton.
Trench, R: C. Miracles of our Lord. *N. ed.* (Ja1) D. $1.50.....*Appleton.*
— Parables of our Lord. *N. ed.* (Ja1) D. $1.50..*Appleton.*
Tuckery, H: Life's golden morning. (Ja22) D. *net*, $1. *Cranston & S.*
Universities, Rise of. Laurie, S. S. $1.50...*Appleton.*
Unseen universe. Clifford, W. K. p. 15c...*Fitzgerald.*
Vocal calisthenics. Lottner, H. bds. 40c..*L. J. Hardham.*
Washburn, E. Treatise on the Am. law of real property. *5th ed.* 3 v. (Ja22) O. shp. .....*Little, B.*
Weekly Law bulletin and Ohio law journal. V. 16. (Ja22) O. *subs.* $5 *pr. yr*.....*Capital Pub. Co.*
Were they married? Wood, H. p. 20c..*N. L. Munro.*
Western Islands of Scotland, Journey to. Johnson, S, p. 10c.....*Cassell.*
— reporter, v. 4. (Desty.) (Ja8) O. shp. $5. *Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.*
Wilful young woman. Price, A. p. 20c. *N. L. Munro.*
Windmill as a prime mover. Wolff, A. R. $3..*Wiley.*
Wine, Scriptures concerning. Davies, R. N. p. 15c. *Cranston & S.*
Wisconsin reports, Digest of. Simmons, J. shp. $10. *Gould.*
Wolff, A. R. The windmill as a prime mover. *N. iss.* (Ja15) O. $3.....*Wiley.*
Wood, Hazel. Little Bessie. (Ja1) S. p. 20c. *N. L. Munro.*
— Poor Nell. (Ja1) S. p. 20c.....*N. L. Munro.*
— Were they married? (Ja1) S. p. 20c.....*N. L. Munro.*
Wood's lib. *See* Maglagan.
Words correctly spoken. Avery, E. M. 15c. *Burrows.*
Wordsworth, Dorothy. Lee, E. $1.25.....*Dodd, M.*
World (The) went very well then. Besant, W. p. 20c. *Munro; N. L. Munro.*
Wright's new map and guide for Kansas City. (Ja15) S. p. 50c.....*H. T. Wright.*
Yonge, Charlotte M. A modern Telemachus. (Ja1) S. p. 25c.....*Harper.*
Zola, E. Christine, the model. (Ja8) sq. S. $1.25; p. 75c. *Peterson.*

NOTES ON CATALOGUES.

S. H. ZAHM, Lancaster, Pa., has issued a catalogue of scarce books, including early Pennsylvania imprints, etc. (8 p. S.)

MR. EDWARD ROTH, 1135 Pine Street, Philadelphia, is nearing the end of the biographical portion of his "Complete Index to Littell's *Living Age*" (first 100 volumes). His tenth number ends with Vespucci.

FRANCIS P. HARPER, 4 Barclay St., N. Y., has issued a new catalogue, No. 16, of books relating to the Rebellion and Slavery (16 p. S.). Also a list (No. 15) of books in various departments of literature. (8 p. O.)

P. GAYNON, 53 Rue de Pont St. Roche, Quebec, Canada, has issued a "Catalogue d'une collection importante en ouvrages sur l'histoire du Canada ou de la Nouvelle France) . . . . et un evingtaine de volumes imprimés par le célèbre Alde Manuce," etc. (16 p. O.)

W. B. SAUNDERS, 33 S. 10th Street, Philadelphia, has issued a fine catalogue of illustrated, fine art, and miscellaneous books, including Gould's "Mammals of Australia;" Gerome's Works ($200 edition); Cotman's Etchings; Houbraken's Heads; Temple of the Muses (a curious Mythological work); Gallerria Pittore etc. (77 p. O.(

MR. ROBERT W. LOWE'S bibliography of theatrical literature, says the N. Y. *Tribune*, is to be published in London next season. It aims at giving a complete catalogue, with historical notes of books and pamphlets on dramatic matters published in Great Britian. Plays are excluded, unless when accompanied by prefaces of historical importance. Shakspeariana, too, having already been exhaustively catalogued, do not find a place, unless they bear directly upon the stage presentation of Shakspeare's plays.

BUSINESS NOTES.

ANN ARBOR, MICH.—George Osius & Co., booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership. George Wahr, the junior member of the firm, has bought the business, and will hereafter carry it on under his own name.

BOSTON, MASS.—The partnership existing under the firm name of Cleaves, Macdonald & Co., expired by limitation on the 1st inst., Mr. Emory Cleaves retiring. A new firm was formed under the name of Laughton, Macdonald & Co. Mr. Laughton is well known in the Boston trade, having been with Lockwood, Brooks & Co. for many years, and lately with Cupples, Upham & Co., is a hard worker, and is thoroughly posted in the retail business.

MAYVILLE, N. Y.—Herman Sixbey, bookseller, has purchased the stock and "good will" of W. S. Gleason, of that place.

NEW YORK CITY.—Henry E. Bandell has been admitted to the firm of Greil & Wildermann, importers of books, the firm-style now being Greil, Wildermann & Co.

NEW YORK CITY.—Wm. Evarts Benjamin and Wm. Haywood Bell have entered into partnership under the firm name of Benjamin & Bell, to do a general publishing business. Their field, though not definitely settled upon, will probably be in the direction of fine books, belles lettres, etc. This business is independent of, and not connected with, the separate business of William Evarts Benjamin in rare books, prints, and autographs; which will as usual be solely conducted by himself.

NEW YORK CITY.—S. A. Potter, D. F. Knight, J. F. Ainsworth, and Edwin Loomis, under the firm name of Potter, Knight, Ainsworth & Co., succeed to the business heretofore carried on under the firm name of Potter, Ainsworth & Co., A. S. Barnes retiring.

NEW YORK CITY.—O. F. Chamberlain, 843 Broadway, has gone out of business.

PHILADELPHIA.—The partnership heretofore existing between John E. Potter and Edwin J. Buckley, trading as J. E. Potter & Co., booksellers and publishers, was dissolved by mutual consent, Jan. 22, Mr. Buckley retiring. The business will be continued as heretofore by John E. Potter, who will act as liquidating partner.

PHILADELPHIA, PA. Edward Meeks (E. Claxton, agent) has moved to more commodious quarters, at No. 1012 Walnut Street.

PITTSFIELD, ILL.—Bush & Crane, booksellers and stationers, have been succeeded by Henry Bush.

TEMPLE, TEX.—Branch & Hall, booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership, Mr. Hall retiring. M. W. Branch will continue the business, and settle the accounts of the late firm.

NOTES AND QUERIES.

CAN any one inform us of the address of Henry Kingston, who, in 1882, published a book on the etiology, pathology, and treatment of baldness and grayness, by Dr. T. Robinson.

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PUBLISHERS are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, to insure correctness in the final entry.

In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

The trade are invited to send "Communications" to the editor on any topic of interest to the trade, and as to which an interchange of opinion is desirable. Also, matter for "Notes and Queries" thankfully received.

The editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed in contributed articles or communications.

"*Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenence and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto.*"—LORD BACON.

THE LIMITS OF CATALOGUING: A CRITICISM AND A REPLY.

ON looking through the Annual Summary Number, I note another manifestation of your passion for doubling and twisting up matters by making TWO indexes, etc. I cannot understand why a man who values time as highly as you do should not be able to see that to make a reference book with more than one alphabet from A to Z, doubles, triples, or quadruples the labor of all who use it. This is the reason for the popular favor with which dictionary catalogues, dictionary guide-books, etc., etc., are received. I hope another year we may have one or two less alphabets in the Annual Catalogue.

2d. p. 185, 4676 books recorded. p. 199, 8352 books copyright deposits. Where are the 3676? Cannot the office of the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY get more of them? I believe that some arrangement can be made by which you can get a copy of every title page received by Spofford. Of course you could not get prices, but this would not matter. You should send a printed letter to every publisher (not otherwise asked) for price for record, and incidentally mention the fact that it would be a good plan to advertise the book in question. Enough advertising, I think, might be obtained to pay a profit on the expense of making your records very much more complete than at present, as shown by the figures above quoted.

Yours,

E. A. MAC.

We print the above personal letter as fair text for some notes of reply to friendly critics of the work of this office.

1. We have made every endeavor throughout the year to obtain from publishers full and prompt information as to each book which they published, with the specific statement that there would be no charge whatever for its publicetion in our record lists. In this endeavor to make a comprehensive catalogue of American book production we have been more successful from year to year, as our organization has been bettered, and the work of this office has become more widely known and accepted as authoritative. In the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY for Aug. 9, 1873, will be found an extraordinary looking page, in which Mr. Leypoldt showed graphically a week's record as the publishers themselves furnished it. The page contained only three titles. That stage of trade bibliography has gone by and most of the publishers now respond with fair promptness and fullness to our inquiries, and few books of real trade or literary importance are now omitted from our weekly record.

2. At the end of the year we make an additional effort, by means of the Annual Summary Number and otherwise, to fill the gaps left by the inattention of publishers, and this brought us word the current year of a hundred books (largely, however, re-issues) which we should have recorded in 1886. It was not practicable to include these in the regular alphabets of the Annual Catalogue and its index, for as the results on the original American Catalogue showed, we could have spent a full year, or years, before running to earth all the omissions, and the result would have been a catalogue issued after most of its usefulness had departed, at an expense far beyond all possible returns, and after all incomplete. The practical bibliographer has to accept practical limitations. The catalogue of a great library usually requires years of labor on the part of a trained staff, who have the books at hand for reference, and even then mistakes and even omissions have been known to occur. The trade bibliographer who waited to make his catalogue ideal would never have practical results to show. The practical steps suggested in the above letter have been taken time and time again, and with almost no result. In this dilemma it has always seemed best to print a supplementary alphabet, rather than to leave the trade without the information which we could put at their service in this imperfect manner.

3. The discrepancy between the number of books recorded by this office and the number of copyright deposits in the library of Congress, is much greater than appears in our correspondent's quotation, since we record a great number of reprint books which do not reach the copyright office at all. We have several times endeavored to make arrangements with the Library of Congress to give the titles there entered, and negotiations on the subject are still on the *tapis*, but the difficulties are verv serious. The cost of transcribing, editing and printing the additional titles would be so considerable as very possibly to exhaust the margin of profit on the PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY itself. Of the titles so obtained a large part would be mere trash, which is practically never sold in a bookstore, and is preserved only in the few large libraries which undertake to preserve everything. The copyright entries would of themselves be useless because they include a great number of projects which never see the

light and the title of which would only confuse bibliographers and booksellers; and publishers are so very careless in promptly depositing their copyright books that an endeavor to check off entries by deposits would be in many cases abortive. These, however, are small difficulties in comparison to many others which the practical cataloguer for the book trade has to face, and we still hope to develop some plan by which the copyright records may be practically put at the service of our readers.

STATIONERS' BOARD OF TRADE: ANNUAL DINNER.

THE reception-room of the Hotel Brunswick began to fill at about half-past six, Thursday evening, Feb. 10, with a good-looking and evidently prosperous set of people, whose business in life is to provide their fellow-mortals with the physical basis of thinking. They had come to lay in individual supplies of the physical basis of life, to eat and make merry at the twelfth annual dinner of the Stationers' Board of Trade. President H. B. Barnes was there to receive them, and with him an effective Reception Committee, consisting of Messrs. H. E. Pratt, Chairman; Wm. B. Boorum, Theo. E. Smith, Henry C. Bainbridge, D. Pritchard, E. J. Horsman, John A. Walker, Edward Todd, W. D. L. Barnes, and John V. Koch.

As seven approached, there was a move in the direction of the handsome and brilliantly lighted dining-hall, where a capital dinner was waiting, thanks to a Dinner Committee composed of Messrs. Chas. A. Clapp, Alex. Agar, Emil Berolzheimer, C. F. A. Hinrichs, and Frank Squier. The tables were decorated with flowers and with elaborate mounted pieces of confectionery, representing paper, quills, ink-stands, and other staples of the trade in unusual materials and certainly novel styles.

The following was the *menu*, which was handsomely printed on a novel and tasteful card, presented with the compliments of Chas. T. Bainbridge's Sons, on the overlap of which appeared a bit of "Auld Lang Syne."

MENU.

Blue Point Oysters.

POTAGES.

Cream of Celery. Consommé Sébastiani.

HORS D'ŒUVRE.

Celery. Olives. Radishes.
Quenelles à l'Ecossaise.

RELEVES.

Salmon Sauce Joinville. Tenderloin of Beef à la Balzac.

ENTREES.

Vol au Vent à la Nesle. Sweet Bread à la Choiseul.

LEGUMES.

Duchesse Potatoes. Flageolets Beans Maitre d'Hôtel.
French Peas.

SORBET CARDINAL.

ROTIS.

Red Head Duck. Roast Râles on Toast.
Celery Mayonnaise.

ENTREMETS SUCRES.

Cabinet Pudding. Rum Jelly. Fancy Ice Cream.
Fancy Cakes. Assorted Cakes.

PIECES MONTEES.

Cheese. Fruit. Dessert. Mottoes.

COFFEE.

At the *dais* table, President Barnes was supported by Messrs. S. L. Clemens, C. M. Tainter, Rev. Lyman Abbott, Gen. S. L. Woodford, C. C. Beaman, J. Seaver Page, Byron Weston, Geo. L. Pease, C. H. Leeds, W. J. Martin, and Mr. Janeway, Mr. C. M. Depew appearing later in the evening.

Mr. C. A. Clapp presided at table 3, where he had gathered most of the book men present, including Chas. Scribner, C. T. Dillingham, Oscar M. Dunham, J. L. Blamire, J. S. Oakley, W. D. L. Barnes, Theo. C. Smith, H. H. Bridgman, C. H. Ames, C. E. Merrill, L. Valentine, Mr. Plimpton, D. Pritchard, Robert Beall, of Washington, R. R. Bowker, John H. Dingman, A. L. Hollingsworth, Mr. McQuillan, and others.

Mr. W. B. Sheffield presided at table 4, with Mr. Urquhart, N. Taylor, Jr., G. D. McIlvaine, J. W. Kelly, Howard Lockwood, N. W. Walsh, A. M. Kellogg, G. L. Wright, Mr. Collins, Mr. Sesnon, Mr. Hamilton, Jas. D. Shipman, C. S. McLoughlin, Mr. Miller, D. C. Dean, J. S. Ogilvie, J. C. Charlous, D. B. Rising, B. D. Rising, and others.

At table 1, Mr. E. F. C. Young presided, and with him were S. Krauss, O. B. Hastings, Ed. Todd, G. B. D. Reeve, H. B. Dennison, F. B. Gilbert, H. K. Dyer, E. Faber, Richard Butler, A. J. C. Foye, H. Berolzheimer, E. E. Huber, J. Hardman, G. F. Perkins, D. A. Tower, J. F. Talbot, C. S. Dennison, J. A. Walker, and Homer Lee; while table 2, with Mr. Frank Squier at the head, seated Geo. F. Hicks, Andrew Geyer, C. L. Chapin, J. S. Packard, D. G. Garabrant, A. G. Elliott, L. Dejonge, Jr., C. Zintgraf, P. M. Krause, C. M. Chapin, W. H. Parsons, Geo. Vernon, F. W. Wilson, H. E. Pratt, W. B. Dillon, H. L. Carter, Louis Stech, J. F. Ackerman, F. H. Parks, and David Scott.

Gen. A. C. Barnes headed table 5, flanked by J. V. Brower, W. B. Boorum, J. Q. Preble, Mr. Liebenroth, I. Von Auw, E. I. Knight, A. W. Esleeck, S. S. Molleson, Alex. Agar, R. W. Bainbridge, H. C. Bainbridge, Jas. W. Tappan, H. W. Southworth, G. W. Knight, G. W. Lindsay, E. I. Horsman, W. C. Hamblin, E. J. Merriam, and C. S. Kiggins; while the sixth table, presided over by Mr. C. F. A. Hinrichs, held W. O. Campbell, P. W. Lapham, Miles Vernon, Mr. Johansen, L. Pattberg, Jr., Wm. Bruns, F. W. Hinrichs, Mr. Felter, I. N. Strauss, A. Klingenburg, J. V. Koch, S. E. Vernon, S. R. Morgan, H. Stephany, Sam Gabriel, S. Ulmann, O. Strauss, Chas. Dotter, and S. D. Snyder.

In all, about 130 were present, and the excellent arrangements prevented any difficulty in seating this number, which fully filled the hall.

After a blessing had been asked by Rev. Dr. Abbott, the diners fell merrily at work at their gastronomic duty, and when coffee was served President Barnes rapped for order and made a very fitting introduction to the post-prandial business of the evening. He said it was scarcely necessary to introduce to the members the guests of the evening who were to address them, but he desired the latter to understand what and who the Stationers' Board of Trade were. He explained the organization humorously as "a great 'combine,'" a definition which brought out laughter and *sotto voce* protest, and referred to its three departments: the Bureau of Information as to mercantile credits, which had furnished 13,000 reports to members during the past year; the Bureau of Collection of overdue accounts, which

had dealt last year with over 1300 claims amounting to $100,000 and collected 49 per cent.; and the Bureau of Failures and Assignments, which takes charge of all claims against insolvent estates, which last year had 465 cases in its hands, from which it recovered $34,000. In all $300,000 had passed through the hands of the Bureau. The committee now proposed to add a fourth department, a Bureau of Law, employing a capable lawyer's entire services for the use of members, and he thought the Board would assent. This would require a raise of annual dues from $50 to $75 and of the initiation fee from $50 to $100, and he invited those present not yet members to come in on the ground-floor while there was yet time.

Mr. C. C. Beaman, of Evarts, Choate & Beaman, was then introduced as the first speaker, and announced his subject as "red tape." He said that he had been trying to find out what the Stationers' Board of Trade really was, and now he learned that it was a great combination to get rid of lawyers, against which he entered protest. He asked if lawyers did not divide all of 50 per cent. with their clients instead of 49, and pointed out that by the confession of the President the Board had been most successful at failures. He drew an amusing picture of Franklin as a Philadelphia stationer, quoting interestingly from the autobiography. He then gave various illustrations that the pen is mightier than the sword, concluding with an eloquent tribute to Grant at Appomattox, when his pen proved greater than Lee's sword, and to the Grant book as likely to be a classic when the Chinese Empire of California would read translations of Xenophon from the Greek, Cæsar from the Latin, and Grant from the otherwise forgotten English. Mr. Beaman then announced that he had at last reached the subject on which he really meant to talk, "red tape"—and sat down, amidst applause.

A letter of regret from Mr. A. D. F. Randolph, who was expected to be present, was then read, in which he urged the stationers to give the less wealthy publishers who might be present one good, square meal, and Mr. Chas. N. Taintor, Commissioner of Emigration, was called upon to respond for the publishers. He referred first to his relations to emigration, and spoke humorously of the large supply of population, Aldermanic and otherwise, passing from the United States into Canada. Continuing, he made some very earnest remarks on the present condition of the school-book trade. He said that in at least half the Legislatures of the 38 States the question was suggested as to whether the rights and privileges of publishers to publish their books and furnish them through the open and free markets of trade should not be taken away. "Not only is the school-book trade threatened with a danger of this description. In nearly half the Legislatures that are in session to-day, bills are introduced to establish State printing-offices, to be supported by the taxes of the people, and to deprive you and me of our privileges to sell our wares in the markets of a free country. I wish to raise a warning cry. Let this organization, banded together for mutual protection, stand up and resist the tendency of the age to deprive us of our occupation. Establish a Department that shall aid the press of the poor. Contribute liberally to this so that we shall not be accused of indifference."

A letter of regret from E. C. Stedman was read, after which Rev. Dr. Lyman Abbott, the next speaker, said that the connection between authors and stationers was that one class made good clean paper and the other spoiled it. "Steam may come and steam may go, but stationers go on forever," said he further, as he passed, from the fact that the mail of a single inland Massachusetts town was now equal to the entire mail of the whole country when the Constitution was adopted, to a prophetic query as to the enormous demand for stationery that would come a hundred years hence—when balloons may be taking the place of railways and our legislators may be busy on a bill regulating interstate commerce in the air.

Mr. Clemens, who was received with storms of applause, doubtless because of his triple connection with the trade as author, publisher, and inventor of "Mark Twain's Scrap-Book," next discoursed and discursed about as follows: "I find this an evening of surprises. I came here through an understanding with the Chairman that I, having reformed, was not to break over pledges made and drift into an after-dinner speech, unless I saw immoralities or crimes being committed, and lo! I have waited in constant expectation that something would be said or done that would compel me to speak. But concerning what has been said and done here I am bound to say that thus far they have been mere misdemeanors. I have been introduced to you as an example of the author and the publisher. I am one of the latest publishers, and I am one of the oldest authors, and certainly one of the best. When I came here I expected to remain in some humble capacity outside of the door, and never dreamed of being made conspicuous by taking a seat high up among the distinguished guests; but, then, I am used to being made conspicuous.

"As I say, I have found nothing really to attack. I expected Mr. Beaman to commit himself—lawyers are always committing themselves—but Mr. Beaman was—was—the fact is his speech can actually be complimented. As to his attacking Ben, that is to say Ben Franklin, an old dead man, that can be explained. Franklin was sober because he lived in Philadelphia. Why, Philadelphia is a sober city to-day. What must it have been in Franklin's time. Why, it is as good as Sunday to be in Philadelphia now. Franklin was frugal, and as he says himself, with becoming modesty, he had no vices, because, though he little suspected it, he made a vice of frugality. You saw, as Mr. Beaman told you, how he did, but when he mentions why he did it he gives himself away, and finally, he wishes that at the last he may be shoved into a barrel of Madeira, but if he had lived here instead of in Philadelphia he would have wanted to get the barrel of Madeira into him.

Referring to the Chairman's statement that the Board was about to establish a legal department, Mark said: "You want a chaplain more than you do a lawyer," and respecting his career as a publisher: "Oh, I can tell you a great deal about publishing, but I don't think I will. I am rather too fresh yet. I am at the honest stage now, but after awhile, when I graduate and grow rich, I will tell you all about it."

He then spoke rather seriously as to books and education:

"It is so common that an education is within the grasp of every one, and if he does not want to pay for it, why here is the State ready to pay for it for him. But sometimes I want to inquire what an education is. I remember myself, and all of you old fellows probably remember the

same of yourselves, that when I went to school I was told that an adjective is an adverb and it must be governed by the third person singular, and all that sort of thing, and when I got out of school I straightway forgot all about it. In my combined character of publisher and author I receive a great many manuscripts from people who say they want a candid opinion whether that is good literature or not. That is all a lie; what they want is a compliment. But as to this matter of education, the first that strikes you is how much teaching has really been done and how much is worthless cramming. You have all seen a little book called 'English as She is Spoke.' Now, in my capacity of publisher, I recently received a manuscript from a teacher which embodied a number of answers given by her pupils to questions propounded. We couldn't publish it, but we got a publisher for it, and within a month or so I shall have an article in the *Century* about it, of which I received the proof to-day. These answers show that the children had nothing but the sound to go by; the sense was perfectly empty. Here are some of their answers to words they were asked to define: Auriferous—pertaining to an orifice; ammonia—the food of the gods; equestrian—one who asks questions; parasite—a kind of umbrella; ipecac—a man who likes a good dinner. And here is this definition of an ancient word honored by a great party: Republican—a sinner mentioned in the Bible. And here is an innocent deliverance of a zoölogical kind: 'There are a good many donkeys in the theological gardens.' Here also is a definition which really isn't very bad in its way: Demagogue—a vessel containing beer and other liquids. Here, too, is a sample of a boy's composition on girls, which I must say, I rather like:

"'Girls are very stuckup and dignfied in their manner and behaveyour. They think more of dress than anything and like to play with dowls and rags. They cry if they see a cow in a far distance and are afraid of guns. They stay at home all the time and go to church every Sunday. They are al-ways sick. They are al-ways funy and makeing fun of boys hands and they say how dirty. They cant play marbles. I pity them, poor things. They make fun of boys and then turn round and love them. I don't beleave they ever kiled a cat or anything. They look out every nite and say, "Oh, a'nt the moon lovely!" Thir is one thing I have not told and that is they al-ways now their lessons bettern boys.'"

The following letter was then read from Mayor Hewitt:

To Henry D. Barnes, Chairman, 111 William Street, New York.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.

MY DEAR SIR: I had many reasons for desiring to attend the dinner of the stationers and booksellers, and I have held on to hope until now I see my expectation is in vain. While I have suffered very much in body, I am much more disturbed by my inability to do many things which I intended to do. I do not feel able to even dictate a few words on the influence of trades organizations in developing or retarding the prosperity of this city. They can do a great deal of good, but they may also be made engines of mischief. Just now this city is suffering and seems likely to suffer from a new form of despotism by which not only employees but employers are deprived of free agency, and are made subject to the control of a secret body, where situated and of whom composed nobody seems to know. I don't believe that the people of this country, especially its intelligent workmen, whose right to organization for mutual advantage no one denies, will continue long to submit themselves to the intolerable oppression of strikes, boycotts, and inability to earn their daily bread at the will of a secret body whose mandates are given without explanations and from whose orders there seems to be no appeal.

While I would maintain the right of men to organize in their own way for their own protection, I would insist upon the right of the men who do not choose to connect themselves with associations, but prefer to act as free lances, if you choose, to exercise their undoubted right of individual choice. Least of all is it to be conceded that one set of men shall deprive other sets of men of the right to labor. Such a doctrine simply reduces free labor to a condition of serfage more intolerable even than that which prevailed in the Middle Ages.

There will be no security until the intelligence of the community is aroused and the decision is arrived at on the part of employers that they will not permit any portion of their men to be coerced or restrained in their right to join or to refuse to join trade associations. I would not discourage such associations, but, on the contrary I shall hope to see the time when masters and workmen will belong to such organizations, intended to promote the welfare of the trade in which they are engaged.

There may be at times differences of opinion, or even strikes, yet it is intolerable that under any circumstances the business of the whole community shall be arrested because some man may imagine that he has a grievance which requires the sacrifice of thousands of people in order that he may get rights that ought to be secured to him by law and confirmed in the courts if they be denied. In other words, in this country the only overruling power is the law, which expresses the will of the people, and any attempt to establish any other tribunal than the courts, and especially irresponsible and secret tribunals, can only bring on a paralysis of industry and the ruin of the very class whose interests are at stake. Apologizing for this imperfect statement of the views which I had hoped to expound more at length, I am, very truly yours, ABRAM S. HEWITT.

Mr. Chauncey M. Depew, who had just come from delivering his inaugural address as President of the Union League Club, was then called upon, and after some bright talk, addressed himself seriously and effectively to one of the great questions of the day.

"I am glad to hear that letter of Mayor Hewitt. I think it is the most important contribution that has been made on the extraordinary condition in which we find ourselves to-day. A new scheme of government in which nobody is represented, or has interests at stake, has been suddenly projected upon this community. The scheme is that somebody whom nobody knows shall, when anybody anywhere in the country has, or claims to have, a grievance, proclaims the paralysis of society; that because there is a disagreement among the cotton-workers or the wool-workers in a single factory somewhere in a remote town, transportation service shall stop, manufactories close, and whole communities be left without the means of fire, clothing, food, or any communication with business, schools, or families. And in the Congress which decrees things that could not be done by the Czar of Russia nobody who is affected has a representation or has a voice. This is an *imperium in imperio* which never existed in a civilized or savage community.

"Among our people appeared a man yesterday,

with yellow kid gloves and a stove-pipe hat and a watch-chain that weighed a pound and a half. He offered the leading men in that department, which has over 100 employees, their salaries for a year in advance if they would have those men out and paralyze the business of 100 merchants in the town. If they had struck it would have been said by the leaders of this movement that it was another evidence of the oppression of capital over labor. I believe in labor organizations. I believe in the absolute right to strike, and in the right of a man to work wherever he chooses, but without the interference of any association.

"There is no trouble among the real workingmen of this country that could not be adjusted. There is no condition that requires a social revolution—that requires the grievances of 100 men to suspend the living of 60,000,000 people. If it were, we are prepared to go back to that condition of savagery where anarchy prevails, where the cut-throat becomes the ruling element in the community, where people, abandoning homes which are no longer safe, take to the woods and streams and die of starvation, until some strong man, without heart, but with a large brain, arises, and, concentrating around him the violent forces of the community, becomes an autocrat, a despot, and a terror."

Mr. Depew concluded with some happy humorous remarks, after which, on motion, a vote of thanks and approval for Mayor Hewitt's letter was moved and unanimously passed.

Gen. Woodford, counsel for the Board, was then called upon, and made one of his clever after-dinner speeches, after which, close upon midnight, the assembly dispersed, thoroughly pleased with the evening's feast for the inner and the outer man. It was throughout a most pleasant occasion, and everybody wanted to come next time.

THE SALE OF SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS IN BOOK-STORES.

MESSRS. HUBBARD BROTHERS, of Philadelphia, courteously furnish our readers with the following report of their recent suit against John Wanamaker:

In the Circuit Court of the United States, this morning in the case of Ben Perley Poore and Hubbard Bros. against John Wanamaker, in which Hubbard Bros. charged Wanamaker with selling "Perley's Reminiscences" in the trade contrary to the rights of the author, the Judge in disposing of the motion for a preliminary injunction delivered an oral opinion regarding the facts and law in this case substantially as follows: First, that the plaintiffs, (Hubbard Bros.) bill of complaint and their affidavits set forth a case which entitles them clearly to an injunction to restrain the defendant (Wanamaker) from selling the said book in the trade. Second, that the defendant (Wanamaker) having stated under oath that he had no knowledge of the fact that this book was sold by subscription only, that he had purchased but ten sets of the book, was apparently an innocent purchaser thereof. In the face of this sworn statement, the Court, accepting this affidavit as true, would not, in this preliminary stage, grant the injunction asked, but in order to protect the rights of the parties, the Court directed an order to be entered to the effect that the plaintiff's (Hubbard Bros.) motion was denied but the defendant (Wanamaker) was ordered to keep a correct account and, to file in the Court once in every ten days, a sworn statement of the number of copies sold till he should dispose of those he had in his possession at the time the bill was filed, and that now having notice, any further purchase or sale would clearly entitle the plaintiffs (Hubbard Bros.) to an injunction, and plaintiffs (Hubbard Bros.) have the liberty of renewing the motion for an injunction at any time that circumstances in the case should make it desirable.

The effect of this order is to permit Wanamaker to sell those actually on hand, which according to his sworn statement were purchased innocently, but to notify him that any further dealing in this book cannot be regarded as done in innocence of the penalty of the law. It is said to further establish the principle that booksellers lay themselves liable to prosecution, and to an accounting in damages when they buy and sell a book, knowing that it is sold, as this book is purely by subscription.

The publishers, Hubbard Bros., state that a notice was mailed by them to Wanamaker's establishment prior to the issue of the book, that in every copy of the book they printed a notice on the back of the title page, and that reviews in all the public papers stated that the book was sold by subscription only, and that Wanamaker's people generally were aware of this fact, evidence of which is found in their having purchased the book from parties in Syracuse, N. Y., instead of applying to the publishers who were within a few squares of their store. That they had full knowledge that the book was published by subscription only, seems very evident.

OBITUARY NOTES.

ZARARR WILMSHURST, conspicuous as a writer on insurance matters, died on January 27, in Brooklyn. The real name of Mr. Wilmshurst was William Bennett; but in early manhood he obtained a legal change of name and adopted the designation under which he lived and died. He was born in England in 1824, and in his youth was one of the literary associates and friends who clustered, in her latter days, about the celebrated Countess Blessington. On coming to America he devoted his talents more particularly to miscellaneous literature, and published one or two collections of his poems. In 1874 a collection of his poetical writings, called "The Winter of the Heart, and other Poems," was published by Dodd & Mead. In the latter part of his life he contributed to periodical literature, chiefly short stories and religious poetry. Many of his hymns are favorites.

JOURNALISTIC NOTES.

The Phonographic Magazine is the title of a new and enterprising-looking monthly devoted to phonography and spelling reform. The magazine will be under the editorship of Mr. Jerome B. Howard, who for five years past has been daily associated with Mr. Benn Pitman in the compilation of phonographic works and the revision of Mr. Pitman's series of text-books. The magazine will, therefore, be the one thing needful to students of the Benn Pitman system of phonography—a periodical complement to the regular books of instruction.

The Pharmaceutical Era is the title of a new monthly exponent of pharmaceutical science and practice, published by D. O. Haynes & Co., Box 583, Detroit, Mich. The particular purpose of the *Era*, according to its prospectus, will be to

serve as a guide, 1st to the more advanced student by furnishing him in its "Index Pharmaceuticus" with a key to current pharmaceutical literature, and 2d to the beginner by furnishing matter especially of an educational character in chemistry, botany, microscopy, and pharmacognosy. The first number, dated January, is a small quarto of 32 pages, full of interesting features, some of them with illustrations. An eight-page supplement contains a corrected list of the English commercial names of botanical drugs with their pharmacopœial and botanical synonyms.

LUCY C. LILLIE will contribute the complete novel, which has become a leading feature of *Lippincott's Magazine* to the March number of that periodical. The title is "Kenyon's Wife." Robert J. Burdette will give a humorous sketch of his own career, under the title "Confessions of a Reformed Humorist." W. H. Milburn, "the blind chaplain," will follow with some "Autobiographieal Notes of a Congressional Chaplain," and Henry C. Lea will attack "The Policy of Insurance," in an article which will be sure to attract general attention. A still more important contribution will be "Gen. John A. Logan, by one who knew him," written under the personal supervision of Mrs. Logan, and with the advice and assistance of Generals Sherman, Frémont, Clark, and others of Logan's comrades-in-arms.

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

PAUL HEYSE has written a novel which he entitles "Der Roman der Stiftsdame."

THE title of Zola's new book will be called "The Earth" (*La Terre.*)

ADMIRAL MEHMED PASHA, who, like some other Ottoman naval officers, was educated in England, has published in Turkish an illustrated work on naval tactics, the first of its kind in that language.

MR. DAWSON, formerly librarian of the Senate at Washington, and an intimate friend of the late John A. Logan, is writing a life of the General. He receives assistance from Mrs. Logan. The book will be published in Chicago.

IT is said in New Orleans that the author of "Towards the Gulf," recently issued by Harper & Bros., is Mrs. Alice Morris Buckner, widow of Capt. Richard L. Buckner, a recently deceased cotton merchant of that city. She has another volume nearly ready for the press.

DR. STEINSCHNEIDER has completed his bibliographical supplement to Benjacob's "Treasure of Hebrew books" (in Hebrew, Wilna, 1880), which is arranged alphabetically according to titles. Dr. Steinschneider will also supply an alphabetical list of authors. These two volumes may be considered as the omega of Hebrew bibliography.

IT is reported that the author of "The Story of Margaret Kent" is none other than Mrs. Kirk. the accomplished wife of the former editor of *Lippincott's Magazine*, who, under the name of E. W. Olney, published, with the Lippincotts, the two fine stories, "Love in Idleness" and "Through Winding Ways."

H. R. H. PRINCESS CHRISTIAN is said to be engaged on a translation of the interesting "Memoirs of the Margravine of Bayreuth." The translation will be accompanied by an introduction of some length from the pen of her Royal Highness, which will throw considerable light on the influence which the Margravine possessed on the mind and actions of her illustrious brother Frederick the Great. The volume will be published by Mr. Elliot Stock.

A LITERARY man said to a *World* reporter: "I have surely discovered the author of 'The Breadwinners.' It is John Hay, as has been asserted. You remember the peculiar name of Offit in the book. Well, a man of that name appears in the early chapters of the life of Lincoln which Hay and Nicolay are publishing in the *Century*. I mentioned the coincidence to one of the assistant editors of the magazine, and he admitted, on being pressed hard, that John Hay wrote the much-talked-about novel."

EDWARD PAYSON JACKSON, the author of that much-talked-of novel "A Demigod," says the N. Y. *Times*, has been for the last ten years instructor in science and the classics in the Boston Latin School. He was born in Erzeroum, Turkey, where his parents were American missionaries. He was a member of the Class of '63, of Amherst College, and was known among the fellow-students by the sobriquet of "the Count," He was the poet of his college class, but his only considerable literary achievement before the writing of "A Demigod" was the preparation of a mathematical geography.

IN reporting favorably the bill to pension Walt Whitman at the rate of $25 per month, the House Committee on Invalid Pensions says the poet dedicated himself during the war to the unceasing care, as a volunteer nurse, of our sick and wounded soldiers, and that his almost devotional ministrations were well known to the citizens of Washington and to the nation. The report includes many extracts from newspaper articles and interviews with well-known persons as evidence of the poet's faithful service during the war and of his dependent condition.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

"THE HISTORY OF EASTON," Massachusetts, has just been published by the author, Wm. L. Chaffin, in a large octavo volume fully illustrated.

PETER PAUL & BRO., Buffalo, announce for early publication, a new book by the Rev. L. A. Lambert. author of "Notes on Ingersoll," entitled "Tactics of Infidels."

LEE & SHEPARD announce in press "Synonyms Discriminated," by Richard Whateley, Archbishop of Dublin, a new edition to be issued in their popular *Handbook Series*.

CHARLES A. BATES, Indianapolis, has now ready "Little Speeches for Little People," a new collection of fresh, bright recitations for children, said to be exceptionally good.

THE town of Dedham, Mass., has just issued "The Record of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, and Intentions of Marriage in the Town of Dedham, from 1635—1845, edited by Don Gleason Hill, Town Clerk."

HARPER & BROS. are about to bring out a second edition of Hudson's "Railways and the Republic," containing some new matter specially relating to recent judicial decisions and to the provisions of the Interstate Commerce bill.

WILLARD SMALL has published in a handsome 16mo, "Education, Intellectual, Moral and

Physical," by Herbert Spencer, a handy and valuable manual for teachers and educators. He has also in press "The School Master," by Roger Ascham.

CASSELL & CO. have just issued a story of the Ninth Ward, N. Y. City, entitled "The Common Chord," by H. K. Elliott. The book opens with a stirring description of the battle of Fredericksburg, and is said to give much good character painting and bright dialogue.

SOME people who have tried to do business with the Merchants' Library Association of Chicago, are beginning to think what Betsy Prig thought of Sarah Gamp's friend, Mrs. Harris—that "there ain't no sich person." Publishers and others would do well to bear this in mind.

THE second volume of Prof. Pfleiderer's "Philosophy of Religion," now in the press, will include not only many corrections and additions by the author, but also some new matter on the English philosophers of the present day. Messrs. Scribner & Welford will have the book in this country.

THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY (Publication Agency) announces as an extra volume of the university studies a volume entitled "Baltimore and the 19th of April, 1861; a study of the war," by Judge George Wm. Brown, who was mayor of Baltimore at the time. The book may be expected next month.

THE Booksellers' and Stationers' Provident Association are having designs made for a handsome lithograph certificate of membership. Members wishing this new certificate can receive a copy on its completion by sending 25 cents to Andrew Geyer, secretary of the association, 63 Duane Street, New York City.

THE quaint printing-press which attracted so much attention at the sign of "Ye Leadenhalle Presse" in the Old London Street at South Kensington has been secured by the Old London Street Company of New York, who have reproduced this bit of ancient London as a special exhibition to be opened this month.

J. H. EARLE has just published "Sought-Out Songs for Christian Workers," compiled by Rev. A. B. Earle, D.D., bound in boards; also "The Rest that Remains or the Repose of Faith," by A. B. Underwood, author of "God's Will Known and Done," a work which received marked attention by its thoughtful and reverential diction.

THE INTERSTATE PUBLISHING CO., Chicago, has published a new game devised by Rose Porter, entitled "Literary Salad." It is played with a great number of small slips, each bearing a "familiar quotation," and considerable instruction and entertainment can be obtained in testing the knowledge of the various players as to the authorship of the quotations.

T. B. PETERSON & BROTHERS have just ready "Twelve Years of My Life," an autobiography, by Mrs. B. Beaumont, of Woodville, Mississippi. One large 12mo, morocco cloth, $1.50. The pictures given of the Southern people are said to be wonderfully truthful and characteristic, but entirely unprejudiced, while the descriptions of local manners and customs are breezy, good-natured, and exact.

LITTLE, BROWN & CO. will publish, this month or next, a new volume of the *Badminton Library* on "Cycling," by Viscount Bury, assisted by G. L. Hillier, with numerous illustrations; also, "Through the Fields with Linnæus," a biography of the great botanist, by Mrs. Caddy, in two volumes, illustrated with frontispieces and vignettes. They will also begin immediately the publication of monthly catalogues of rare and valuable books and new importations.

THE "Life of Captain Mayne Reid," by Charles Ollivant, of Manchester, is now completed, with the exception of an index, which is in progress. Mr. Ollivant, who is the son of the late Mr. G. B. Ollivant, a Manchester merchant, has visited Capt. Reid's birthplace in Ireland, to obtain particulars of his early years. He was for a considerable period private secretary to the novelist. The book, which is written under the sanction of Mrs. Reid, will be published at an early date.

E. A. MAC, of 693 Broadway, N. Y., sends us a printed slip list of newspapers wanted to complete his scrap-book collection of important printed matter about Jay Gould, and says he has made a collection of nearly three thousand pages on this subject. He will be glad to send his list of wants to the address of any one having any old papers to sell or exchange. Libraries desiring to complete files of N. Y. *Times* or *Tribune* may find this an opportunity, as he has large remainders bought from Yale College.

THE CATHOLIC PUBLICATION SOCIETY CO. will issue for Miss Marcella Agnes Fitzgerald a volume of her "Poems." Those who have read some of Miss Fitzgerald's poetry will be glad of a chance to get a complete collection in a beautiful volume. They will also publish "The Throne of the Fisherman Built by the Carpenter's Son," by Thomas W. Allies This work begins with a short review of the "witness of history during eighteen centuries to the See of St. Peter: its divine institution, its acceptance by the Church, and the manifold support given to it during so many centuries by Providence, as shown in the acts both of foes and of friends."

SEVERAL years ago, Dr. Lossing, the well-known historian, received a letter from the late Hon. Horatio Seymour, urging him to supply a conspicuous literary want, by writing a *popular* history of the State of New York, and illustrating it after the manner of his celebrated "Pictorial Field-Book of the Revolution." No work of the kind was then in existence, nor has there been since. The latest published history of New York, excepting "Randall's School History," issued in 1868, is Yates and Moulton's, published in 1829, nearly sixty years ago, and that was only a colonial history. Mr. Lossing has just completed the manuscript of this important work, and will publish it through Funk & Wagnalls.

HENRY ALTEMUS, Philadelphia Bible Warehouse, 507 to 513 Cherry Street, Philadelphia, announces a larger variety than ever of new bindings, with rare effects in leather for their Family Bibles and Photograph Albums. This house is discarding the old conventional styles of panels and gold, and is adhering closely to the purely London and Oxford styles of binding, which are much better adapted to the sales of first-class book stores. Their fall catalogue has been largely increased, and presents a handsome appearance. It contains descriptions of contents and bindings, with over 50 large illustrations. Prices and styles are so arranged as to be adapted to the taste and means of all. It will interest all dealers who desire to be thoroughly posted.

LEE AND SHEPARD, Boston, have nearly ready for publication, Prof. A. P. Peabody's "Moral Philosopy," being the lectures delivered to his students in Harvard College, and adapted for text-book purposes. There are twelve essays in the series. I.—Human Freedom; II.—The Ground of Right; III.—Utilitarianism and Expediency; IV.—Conscience; V.—Virtue and Virtues; VI.—Principles, Rules and Habits; VII.—Ethics of the Hebrew Scriptures; VIII.—Christian Ethics; IX.—Moral Beauty; X.—Hedonism; XI.—The Ethics of the Stoic School; XII.—The Influence of Christian Ethics on Roman Law. The erudition and experience of Dr. Peabody have given him the ability to treat these great themes with rare clearness of expression, so that his meaning should be plain to every intelligent reader. This volume of Dr. Peabody's lectures will be 12mo, and contain 332 pages.

SCRIBNER & WELFORD will shortly publish a very interesting biographical work, "Verdi: an Anecdote History of his Life and Works," by Arthur Pougin. This is the first biography of this master yet attempted, and while necessarily unfinished, is full of fascinating detail of his life. The author is, of course, a warm admirer of Verdi, but no one could fail to be interested in his account of the difficulties met and finally overcome in securing a musical career, and in the history of the composition and productions of his several masterpieces. The volume will contain an excellent portrait, and will be of special value to lovers of Verdi's music. They will also issue shortly a new and cheap edition of the fascinating "Memoirs of Marie Antoinette," by Madame Campan. The edition for this country is, however, to be superior to the English edition in that it will have a number of steel portraits, while the London edition has but one. It is, besides, to be printed from new and beautiful clear type, and forms a marvel of interest and cheapness.

THE J. B. LIPPINCOTT CO. have in press the fourth edition of J. H. Pepper's "Cyclopædic Science Simplified," embracing light, heat, electricity, magnetism, pneumatics, acoustics, and chemistry; "Half-Hours with American History," in two volumes, selected and arranged by Charles Morris; "Manual of North American Birds," for the naturalist and sportsman, containing concise descriptions of every species of bird known in North America, illustrated by 425 outline cuts, and "Botany for Academies and Colleges," consisting of plant development and structure from sea-weed to clematis, arranged by Annie Chambers Ketchum, and illustrated with 250 cuts. "Ornamental Interiors: ancient and modern," by J. Moyr Smith, will have thirty-two full-page plates and numerous smaller illustrations designed by H. W. Batley, Owen W. Davis, Lewis F. Day, J. T. Jackson, F. Margetson, B. J. Talbert, etc.; and "The Nursing and Care of the Nervous and Insane," by Chas. H. Mills, Professor of Diseases of the Mind and Nervous System in Philadelphia, treats its difficult subject exhaustively. The forthcoming new novels will be "Moloch: a story of sacrifice," by Mrs. Campbell Praed; "Aunt Hepsy's Foundling," by Mrs, Leith Adams; and "Harcourt, or, a soul illumined," by Mrs. Annie Somers Gilchrist.

ROBERTS BROS. will publish on the 15th, "Franklin in France," by E. E. Hale and E. E. Hale, Jr., from original documents, most of which are now published for the first time. When Benjamin Franklin died, in 1790, he left to his grandson, Wm. Temple Franklin, the largest collection of his papers. This collection, which had been supposed to be lost, having been searched for in vain by Jared Sparks to complete his edition of Franklin's works, was found a few years since on the top shelf of an old tailor's shop in St. James, purchased by Mr. Henry Stevens, and sold to the United States' Government. From this collection and other original documents, this life of "Franklin in France" was written. The volume is enriched with four rare portraits, selected principally on account of their rarity—one is a steel portrait from a painting by Van Loo; two are portraits on wood, by Chapman and De Carmontelle; a medallion, by J. B. Nina, together with numerous vignette portraits of noted contemporaries. "The Country Doctor," by Honoré de Balzac, is the sixth volume of the celebrated French novelist's works, issued uniform in their edition by the publishers. "Diana of the Crossways" is the seventh volume in the uniform series of George Meredith's novels. "Margaret of Angoulême, Queen of Navarre," by A. Mary F. Robinson, adds another interesting volume—the fourteenth—to the "Famous Woman Series." "New Connecticut," an autobiographical poem, by H. Bronson Alcott, edited by F. B. Sanborn. "Through the Gates of Gold," a fragment of thought, is by a well-known author, and is published anonymously. The book deals with the problems of the future life in an unusual manner, and it is believed will make as much of a sensation as "The Gates Ajar." "The Pigeon Pie," a tale of Roundhead times, by Charlotte M. Yonge, is a new edition of this popular story, which has been out of print for a long while.

PROFESSOR HENRY DRUMMOND'S "Natural Law in the Spiritual World" is in its fiftieth thousand in England.

CHAPMAN & HALL have in press a new work by Mr. Gallenga, in two volumes, entitled "Italy: Present and Future."

GENERAL TROCHU, Governor of Paris during the Franco-Prussian war, is going to publish his reminiscences of that exciting time. The General lives at present in the greatest retirement at Tours, only visiting two friends, one of whom is an ex-Chamberlain of the late Emperor Napoleon and the other a Carlist chief.

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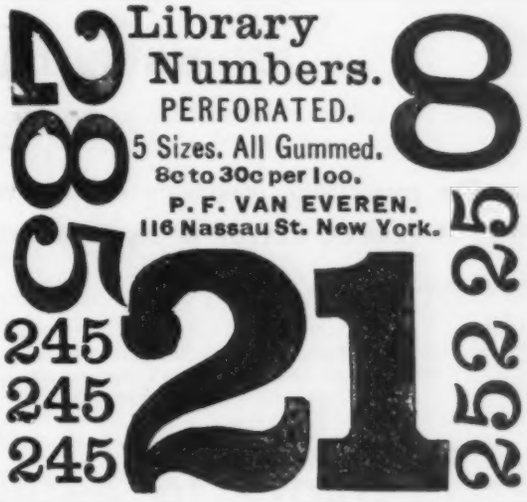

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